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<b>Title:</b>	RECOMBINANT EXPRESSION VECTORS FOR FUNCTIONAL NAV1.9 SODIUM CHANNELS	

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Sir:

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed April 11, 2008, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested. The deadline for responding to the Office Action without fees was July 11, 2008. A three (3) month extension of time from July 11, 2008, up to and including October 11, 2008, is hereby respectfully requested, and the extension fee of \$555 for a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) is being paid via electronic credit card authorization. October 11, 2008 falls on a Saturday, and Monday, October 13, is a legal holiday. Applicant therefore submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Tuesday, October 14, 2008.

In response to the Office Action, Applicant requests entrance of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of the Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.